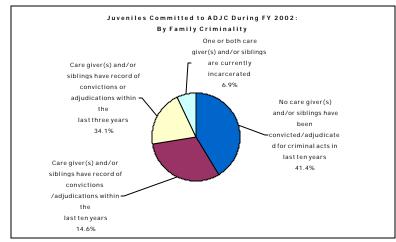
#### FY 2002 NEW COMMITMENTS FROM MOHAVE COUNTY BY TREATMENT NEEDS

NEED IDENTIFIED	N	%
Substance Abuse	28	96.6%
Peer Relationships	28	96.6%
School Behavior/Adjustment	28	96.6%
Violent Behavior	26	89.7%
Emotional Stability	26	89.7%
Theft Behavior	26	89.7%
Intellectual/Educational Deficits	25	86.2%
Family Parenting Skills	20	69.0%
Conflict in Home	19	65.5%
Education/Employment	17	58.6%
Family Substance Abuse	17	58.6%
Family Criminality	17	58.6%
Youth Health and Hygiene	13	44.8%
History of Abuse/Neglect as a Victim	11	37.9%
Sexual Behavior	9	31.0%
Family's Living Situation-Finances	9	31.0%
Life Skills	3	10.3%
Disabilities of Caregivers	2	6.9%
Youth's Parenting Skills	1	3.4%
Intra-Familial Sexual Abuse	1	3.4%



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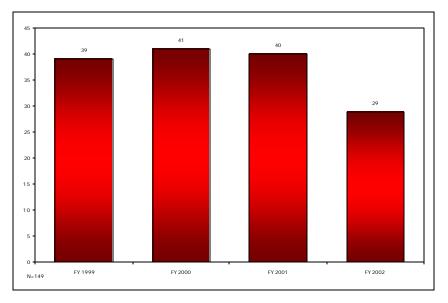
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# Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections Mohave County New Commitment Fact Sheet



Fiscal Years 1999 through 2002



Mohave County represented 3.9% of the total number of juveniles committed to the Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections (ADJC) throughout Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.

## **GENDER:**

Table 1

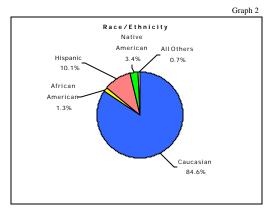
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Gender	er FY 1999 FY 2000 FY 2001		<b>2001</b>	FY 2002		TOTAL				
Male	28	71.8%	34	82.9%	33	82.5%	26	89.7%	121	81.2%
Female	11	28.2%	7	17.1%	7	17.5%	3	10.3%	28	18.8%
TOTAL	39	100%	41	100%	40	100%	29	100%	149	100%

The number of juveniles committed from Mohave County during Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002 fluctuated very little from FY 1999 to FY 2001, before decreasing to 29 juveniles in FY 2002.

As shown in Table 1, female juveniles represented 18.8% of all juveniles committed to ADJC from Mohave County.

## **RACE/ETHNICITY:**

During Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002 most, (84.6%) of the juveniles committed from Mohave County were Caucasian. Hispanic juveniles represented the second largest ethnic group with 10.1% of the total. Native American juveniles represented



3.4% and African American juveniles represented 1.3%. There were less than 1% of juveniles representing some other ethnic/racial category.

### **AGE:**

Table 2

AGE	FY	1999	FY	2000	F	Y 2001	FY	Y 2002	TO	<b>)TAL</b>
14≤	7	18.0%	10	24.4%	8	20.0%	6	20.7%	31	20.8%
15	11	28.2%	10	24.4%	13	32.5%	9	31.0%	42	28.2%
16	12	30.8%	16	39.0%	8	20.0%	8	27.6%	45	30.2%
17	9	23.1%	5	12.2%	11	27.5%	6	20.7%	31	20.8%
TOTAL	39	100%	41	100%	40	100%	29	100%	149	100%

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding.

Sixteen year-old juveniles represented the largest percentage (30.2%) of the total number of new commitments throughout the four years.

Fifteen year-old juveniles represented 28.2%, the second largest percentage of juveniles, while both seventeen year-old juveniles and juveniles 14 or younger comprised 20.8% each.

The average age was 15 years 4 months for juveniles committed to ADJC from Mohave County during this time period.

### **COMMITTING OFFENSE TYPE:**

Juveniles committed for "property offenses" represented the largest percentage of new commitments throughout the four years with a total of 36.2%.

"Public order" offenses represented the second largest commitment offense with 32.9% and "crimes against persons" represented 15.4% of the total throughout the four fiscal years.

Table 3

Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002						
Committing Offense	N	%				
Property Offenses	54	36.2%				
Public Order Offenses	49	32.9%				
Crimes Against Persons	23	15.4%				
Drug Offenses	14	9.4%				
Other Offenses	9	6.0%				
Weapons Offenses	0	0				
TOTAL	149	100%				

<sup>\*</sup>Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding.

### AVERAGE COURT-ORDERED LENGTH OF STAY:

Table 4

Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002							
Class Level	Juveniles	# of months Average		ADJC Matrix			
		Committed	Months	Guidelines			
Class 1	-	-	-	N/A			
Class 2	8	107	13.4	12			
Class 3	28	252.5	9	9			
Class 4	19	163	8.6	7			
Class 5	30	235	7.8	7			
Class 6	29	211	7.3	6			
Misdemeanor	19	131	6.9	6			
TOTAL	133	1099.5	8.3	N/A			

Over half (89.3%) of the juveniles committed from Mohave County during Fiscal Years 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002 were committed to ADJC with a court-ordered length of stay. The average court-ordered length of stay was 8.3 months.